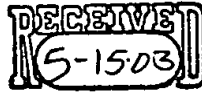


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Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121, please add the following new claims to the original claims.

53. (New) An apparatus for transferring data between a source of information and a sink for information by a wireless linkage comprising:

a first transceiver unit connecting to said source of information and having an address;

a second transceiver unit connecting to said sink for information and having an address;

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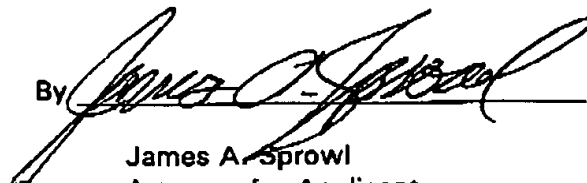
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